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SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

WILL DESPATCH STEAMERS AS FOLLOWS :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. CHANDA, 2,021 Tons, on THURSDAY, 25th March, 1880, at 3 P.M., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Coompta, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Pondicherry Madras, Coconada, Visagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order.

Conveyance to the Nilgherry Hills.—The steamers are timed to reach Beypore at daybreak, and arrangements have been made for a train to leave Beypore specially in connection with the steamers' arrival to convey passengers right through to Mettapolium, where they will arrive at 7-45 p. m., and after taying for the night can proceed up the Ghat early the following morning.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

THE S.S. PUTTIALLA, 839 Tons, on TUESDAY, 30th March, at 4 p m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

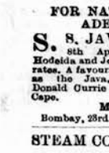
S. S. UMBALLA, 8,40 Tons, on SATURDAY, 30th March, 1880, at 10 a.m.

FOR NATAL, MOZAMBIQUE, ZANZIBAR, ADEN, HODEIDA AND JEDDAH.

S. S. JAVA, 1,465 Tons, on THURSDAY, 8th April, 1880. Cargo and Passengers for Hodeida and Jeddah can be sent by this steamer at through rates. A favorable opportunity of passage to Natal is offered, as the Java, connects at Delagoa Bay with Messrs. Donald Currie and Co.'s Line of Steamers to Natal and the Cape.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 23rd March 1880. Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH ITALY, VIA SUEZ CANAL.



ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

THE REGULAR STEAMERS LEAVE GENOA and BOMBAY on the 21th, and on the 1st *of each Month.*

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.
[Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.]

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Aden	Rs. 220	Rs. 150	Rs. 40
Suez	,, 360	,, 240	,, 80
Port Said	,, 380	,, 240	,, 90
Messina	,, 500	,, 340	,, 140
Naples	,, 540	,, 340	,, 140
Leghorn	,, 560	,, 340	,, 140
Genoa	,, 590	,, 340	,, 140
Marseilles	,, 620	,, 350	,, 145

Including Wine / Without food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge ; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agent.

NEXT STEAMERS FROM BOMBAY :—

ASSIRIA, to sail on THURSDAY, 25th March, 1880.
SINGAPORE, to sail on THURSDAY, 1st April, 1880.
RUMANIA, to sail on SATURDAY, 1st May, 1880.
INDIA, to sail on TUESDAY, 1st June, 1880.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation ; and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The steamers of this Company, as a rule, start precisely at 10 a. m. Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

First and Second Class through Railway Tickets, from NAPLES to LONDON, are now issued here at rates which can be learnt from the undersigned.

Cargo for Barcelona and Odessa can now be booked at through rates.

For Hand-books of information, rates of freight, &c., apply to

F. MURAGLIA,
DARASHAW SORABJEE,
Joint Acting Agents, Rubattino S. N. Company.
No. 2, Hummum Street.
Bombay, 23rd March 1880.

ANCHOR LINE
OF
TRANSATLANTIC, PENINSULAR, MEDITERRANEAN AND INDIAN STEAMSHIPS.

INDIAN SERVICE.

THE following sailings have been arranged from Bombay :—

TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

	Tons.	H.P.	Captain.	
S. S. OLYMPIA	2050	424	J. Craig	24th March.
S. S. COLUMBIA	2080	370	Wm. Young	7th April.
S. S. MACEDONIA	2272	486	J. Laird	24th April.
S. S. ITALIA	2245	424	T. G. Knox	5th May.
S. S. ALEXANDRIA	1629	424	A. Linguister	15th do.
S. S. INDIA	2289	500	Geo. H. Read	29th do.
S. S. TRINACRIA	2167	424	L. White	12th June
S. S. BRITANNIA	2069	500	R. Hutchison	26th do.

N.B.—The Alexandria will sail for Marseilles, Genoa, and Naples.

These Steamers have been specially fitted for the Indian Trade and have accomodation for a large number of Saloon Passengers.

Each steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

Fare through to New York ..... Rs. 600
,, ,, Liverpool ..... ,, 500
,, ,, Marseilles and Genoa ..... ,, 450
,, ,, Naples ..... ,, 400

For plans, handbooks of information, and for any further information apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.
Graham's Buildings, Bombay.

N.B.—The New York passages are booked in connection with the Company Atlantic Mail Service either from Greenock or from London.

There are weekly sailings from either place

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY AND TRIESTE, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE following Steamers will be despatched from BOMBAY to TRIESTE :—

S. S. DIDO, Captain C. Bechtinger, to sail on or about the 5th April, 1880.
S. S. POLLUCE, Captan G. Ragusin, to sail on the 20th April, 1880.
S. S. ZEBE, Captain G. Crillanovich, to sail on or about the 5th May, 1880.
S. S. MEMFI, Captain D. Foretich, to sail on or about the 20th May 1880.
S. S VORWAERTS, Captain G. Marussig, to sail on the 20th May, 1880.
S. S. TIMAVO, Captain A. Sopranich, to sail on or about the 6th June, 1880.
S. S. CASTORE, Captain G. Mahorcick, to sail on or about the 20th June, 1880.

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck
To Trieste	Rs. 400	Rs. 280	Rs. 140 0
To Cyprus (via Port Said)	,, 375	,, 295	,, 143 0
To Port Said	,, 327	,, 255	,, 131 0
To Suez	,, 300	,, 240	,, 122 0
To Aden	,, 170	,, 130	,, 66 8

No cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company, Limited, Marine Branch.

For further particulars, freight, passage, etc., etc., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.
Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, March 12th, 1880.

HALL LINE
BETWEEN
BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL.
CALLING AT MALTA.

FARE TO MALTA ..... Rs. 400.
,, LIVERPOOL ..... ,, 500.

THE following sailings have been arranged from Bombay :—

	Tons	H.P.	Captain.	1880.
S. S. SPEKE HALL	2700	400	W. Brand	21st Apl.
S. S. CITY OF BALTIMORE	2300	300	J. Verril	19th May.
S. S. RYDAL HALL	2709	400	O. Lloyd	18th June.

These fast steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay trade.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

For plans, handbooks, or for any other information apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.
Graham's Buildings, Bombay.

CUNARD LINE.
DIRECT STEAM COMMUNICATION.
BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.
CALLING AT MALTA.

THE S.S. BATAVIA, 2,555 Tons, 450 H.P., THE FIRST OF THE "CUNARD COMPANY'S" LINE, will be despatched as above on or about the 3rd April.

Her accommodation is spacious, commodious and airy, and fitted with all requisites for the comfort of Passengers.

Carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

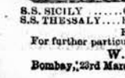
FARE TO MALTA ..... Rs. 400.
,, TO LIVERPOOL ..... ,, 500.

For other particulars apply to

EDWARD BATES & Co., Agents.
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

MR. DAVID McIVER'S LINE OF STEAMERS.

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.
VIA SUEZ CANAL.



THE following sailings have been arranged from Bombay :—

	Com.	Tons.	H. P. nom.	
S.S. SICILY	Green	1875	220	on 27th April.
S.S. THESSALY	F. Hubord	1925	200	on 5th June.

FARE ..... Rs. 400.

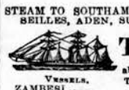
For further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.
Bombay, 23rd March 1880.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM TO SOUTHAMPTON, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA AND GIBRALTAR.



THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1880.
ZAMBESI	2431	370	A. Symons	27th March.
DECCAN	3429	550	W. B. Andrews	3rd April.
TEHERAN	2589	400	A. H. Johnson	10th do.
KAISER-I-HIND	4023	700	R. Methven	17th do.
SURAT	3141	530	W. E. Breese	24th do.
VENETIA	2726	450	J. Orman	1st May.
BANGALORE	2342	450	H. Wyatt	8th do.
VERONA	3065	600	W. Barratt	15th do.
SUMATRA	2488	450	R. F. Briscoe	22nd do.
KASHGAR	2021	450	E. J. Baker	29th do.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For passage, &c., apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Bombay, 15th March 1880. Superintendent.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1880.
NIZAM	2725	450	A. E. Barlow	26th March.
THIBET	2593	400	E. Ashdown	9th April.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Bombay, 12th March 1880. Superintendent.

STEAM TO KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

THE following Steamer will be despatched for the above ports :—

Vessel.	Tons.	H.P.	Captain.	1880.
HYDASPES	2934	450	R. Harvey	26th March.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p. m, on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Bombay, 12th March 1880. Superintendent.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S S. S. VORWAERTS, Captain G. Marussig, will be de-patch-d for the above ports on the 1st April, 1880.

For Freight, Passage, etc., apply to

J. JANNI,
Agent, A. H. Lloyd's S. N. Co.
Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, March 23, 1880.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS.
BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.
CALLING AT MALTA.

THE following STEAMERS will be despatched for the above port :—

	Captains.	Tons.	H.P.	
WISTOW HALL	T. Collin	2,700	400	about April 7th.
BRANKSOME HALL	K. Collin	2,100	300	,, May 5th.
TRENTHAM HALL	J.C. Shaw	2,100	3.0	,, June 3rd.

FARE TO MALTA ..... Rs. 400
,, TO LIVERPOOL ..... ,, 500

Each Steamer carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

For further particulars apply to

EDWARD BATES & Co.,
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay. Agents.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

FIRE—LIFE—ANNUITIES.

ANNUAL INCOME £552,906
FUNDS IN HAND £926,044
CLAIMS PAID £2,740,587

Policies issued and claims paid by

KILLICK, NIXON,
Agents for Western India.
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

THE undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED on FRIDAY, SATURDAY, and MONDAY the 26th, 27th and 29th March, on account of the EASTER and HOLI HOLIDAYS :—

For the Oriental Bank Corporation,
R. D. CAIRNS, pro Agent.
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, & China,
H. W. JONES, Agent.
For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China,
C. J. SHARP, Agent.
For the Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris,
FRANCIS VOUILLON, Manager.
For the National Bank of India (Limited),
THOS. MATHESON, pro Manager.
For the Agra Bank (Limited),
J. HUTTON, Manager.
For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
G. E. NOBLE, Agent.
Bombay, 15th March 1880.

HELMETS AND SUN HATS.

OUR STOCK in this Department is REPLETE with EVERY WELL-KNOWN and APPROVED SHAPE in

Regulation Helmets.
Ellwood's
Patent Air Chamber
Felt Helmets.
The Mayo Helmet.
The MacLeod Helmet.
The Wolseley Helmet.
The Brown Shikar Hat.
The White Shikar Hat.
The White Melton Sun Hat.
The Drab Melton Sun Hat.
The Gentlemen's Terrai Hat.
The Ladies' Terrai Hats.
The Ladies' Felt Helmet.
The Ladies' Melton Sun Hat.
PITH HATS
in every variety of shape and thickness.
Every requisite necessary for fitting up.
MILITARY
and
POLITICAL HELMETS
or
COCKED HATS
always on hand.
FORAGE CAPS
made to any pattern or regulation

ILLUSTRATIONS and PRICES sent free on application.

WATSON & COMPANY.
ESPLANADE HOTEL, BOMBAY.

HATS, CAPS, HELMETS, &c.

TREACHER & Co.'s ILLUSTRATED LIST of the new season's Fashions is now ready, and will be sent on application.

TREACHER & COMPANY (Ld.),
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER & CO.'S
CONCENTRATED COMPOUND
FLUID EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA.

PREPARED with the very best materials and with the greatest care, so as to obtain the full medicinal properties of each of the articles of which it is composed.

This preparation of the *finest Jamaica root* is decidedly preferable to any other form in which Sarsaparilla can be administered, on account of its portability and superior efficacy.

It contains the whole active and medicinal properties of the root in the highest state of concentration, combined with the ingredients of the compound decoction ordered in the British Pharmacopœia, the beneficial effects of which, as an alterative and restorative, have been universally admitted and established by the sanction and recommendation of the most eminent practitioners of the present day.

Per bottle	Cash.	Credit.
,, double size	Rs. 2-0	2-4
	,, 3-8	4 0

SOLE MANUFACTURERS,
TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, & POONA.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE, BOMBAY.

PROPRIETOR ..... Mr. C. S. Nazir.

THIS EVENING, AT 9 O'CLOCK,
THE COMEDIETTA,
"DELICATE GROUND."

Citizen Sangfroid	Mr. H. R. Teesdale.
Alphonso de Grandier	Mr. C. Cartwright.
Pauline	Miss Agnes Birchenough.

To be followed at 10 o'clock by the Laughable Farce,
"A QUIET FAMILY."

Mr. Barnaby Bibbs	Mr. J. S. Hewitt.
Mr. Benjamin Bibbs	Mr. A. B. Tapping.
Grumpy	Mr. C. Thompson.
Mrs. Barnaby Fibbs	Miss Gertrude Duré
Mrs Benjamin Bibbs	Miss Agnes Birchenough
Snarley	Miss Edith Wilson

ON SATURDAY.
"BROWN AND THE BRAHMINS".
(BURLESQUE,)

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Stage Box to admit 8	Rs. 32
Private Box to admit 4	,, 16
Orchestra Stalls	,, 4
Stalls	,, 3
Pit	,, 2
Back Seats	,, 1

Boxes and Orchestra Stalls can be reserved at Messrs. SOUNDY and Co.

Doors open at 8-30 p. m. ; performance commences at 9 p. m.

STAGE MANAGER ..... Mr. H. R. TEESDALE.
MUSICAL DIRECTOR ... ,, A. J. LEVEY.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, & THE WESTERN PORTS OF ITALY.
(VIA SUEZ CANAL.)

NOTICE.—The Italian Mail Steamer ASSIRIA, Captain G. Rocco, will sail as above on THURSDAY, the 25th March, 1880 at 10 a.m.

Passengers are requested to be on board at 9 a. m. The Company's Steam Launch will leave Apollo Bunder three times between 8 and 9 a.m.

F. MURAGLIA,
DARASHAW SORABJEE,
Joint Acting Agents, Rubattino Steam Navigation Company.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

SPECIAL FIRST CLASS RETURN TICKETS, available for SIX MONTHS, will be issued to passengers visiting the Exhibition by the steamer of the 4th June and subsequent fortnightly steamers, at the REDUCED FARE of RUPEES SIX HUNDRED,

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 24th March 1880.

NOTICE.

ANCHOR LINE OF STEAMERS.
S. S. OLYMPIA

WILL positively sail from Prince's Dock at 12 o'clock Noon on SATURDAY, the 27th instant. Passengers should be down by 10 o'clock.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

TO BE LET, SECOND FLOOR of the PREMISES No. 1, Church Gate Street, Fort. It is very commodious, airy and thoroughly ventilated and well lighted, and suitable for a Banker's or Merchant's Office, being above way from the Customs House, Port Office, the Banks, and the High Court premises ; could be let as a whole or in parts.

Several apartments, fit for Parsee families in Todd Street, Fort. A nice Bungalow at Poona, near the Railway Station. Rent moderate. Apply to

N. BYRAMJEE JEEJEEBHOY,
No. 1, Church Gate Street.

TO BE LET, a LARGE and COMMODIOUS HOUSE, with an extensive Garden, to let at Tarden, Breach Candy Road. Well suited for a large family.

Upper Floor Premises at Tardeo, Breach Candy Road, open on all sides, very airy and well suited for a family. Rent very moderate.

A large and commodious House, well adapted for large family or a Hotel, in Military Square, Fort. Apply to

N. BYRAMJEE JEEJEEBHOY,
Managing Trustee,
The Honourable Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Trust Settlement 1872, No. 1, Church Gate Street

THE undersigned is prepared to RECEIVE TENDERS for the following works :—

MAKING certain ADDITIONS and ALTERATIONS to the CENTRAL PRESS.

CONSTRUCTING TWO LATRINES in conn ction with the Obstetric Ward in the Jamse jee Jeejeebhoy Hospital.

Tenders, duly sealed and endorsed, to be delivered not later than Monday, the 29th instant, to the Office of the Executive Engineer, Presidency.

Plans and Specifications can be seen and further particulars obtained on application to the under-signed.

MUNCHERJEE C. MURZBAN, C.E.,
Acting Executive Engineer, Presidency.
Bombay, 22nd March 1880.

THE FRERE LAND AND PIER COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE.—An EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Frere Land and Pier Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 1, Church Lane, Fort, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of April, 1880, at 3 p. m, to confirm the following Special Resolutions passed on the 24th day of March, 1880 :—

1. That Clause 29 of the Articles of Association be and is hereby cancelled.

2. That there shall be paid to the Company, in respect of the transfer or transmission of any number of shares to the same party, the sum of Eight Annas per share.

E. G. CABRAL
Secretary.
Bombay, 25th March 1880.

HOUSE VALUATION FOR 1880.

FORT, COLABA, AND ESPLANADE WARD.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Sections 78 and 79 of the Municipal Acts of 1872 and 1878, that the VALUATION of BUILDINGS and LANDS situated in the Fort, Colaba, and Esplanade Ward for the year 1880 having now been completed, the Municipal Commissioner will proceed to REVISE the same on the 10th proximo.

ALL COMPLAINTS against such Assessment must be made in writing on or before the 7th proximo at the latest, after which the books will be closed and finally signed by the Municipal Commissioner.

The Assessment Books for the above ward can be inspected at the Assessor's Office under Section 78 of the Act.

J. H. GRANT,
Municipal Commissioner.
Municipal Commissioner's Office, Bombay, 24th March 1880.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

CANVAS.

TENDERS will be received by the Agent at his office, Elphinstone Circle, up to 1 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, for the supply of 7,000 yards or any lesser quantity of best No. 1 NAVY CANVAS for IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

A sample of not less than one yard to be sent in with the Tender. Tenders to quote rate per yard for delivery at the Company's Stores, Byculla, and state the time within which the whole of the Canvas offered can be delivered.

Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper.
Storekeeper's Office, Byculla, 24th March 1880.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 102 of 1880.

JAMES CRAIG ..... Plaintiff.
vs.
A. D. JACKSON ..... Defendant.

SALE of WINES, OILMANSTORES, CHEMICALS, &c., now at Apollo House, lately known as The Co-operative Stores.

By the Decree in the above suit the Receiver appointed by the Court is ordered to sell the whole Stock-in-Trade, Office Furniture, Fittings, &c. of the above Defendant. Tenders are invited for the purchase of the above in one lot.

Tenders will also be received for the purchase of the Chemical and Grocery Departments separately. Each Tender must be accompanied by a list specifying what portion of Goods, Office Furniture, Fittings, &c. is tendered for, and must be sent in to the undersigned not later than noon of Wednesday, the 31st instant.

The property can be seen on application to Messrs. Meherjee, Johnston & Co., Auctioneers.

C. A. TURNER,
Receiver appointed by the Court.
Bombay, 24th March 1880.

THE NEW EAST INDIA PRESS COMPANY, LIMITED.

ધી નીઉ ઇસટ ઈંડીઆ પરેસ કંપની, લીમિટેડ.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the FIFTH ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at its Registered Office, No. 3, Church Lane, Fort, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of April, 1880, at 3 p m, to transact the following business, viz :—

1st. To pass and confirm the Audited Accounts and Balance Sheet for the year ending 30th September 1879, and to declare a Dividend.

2nd. To appoint Directors in the room of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.

3rd. To appoint Auditors for the year 1879-80, and to fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

ઠા૦ મુલજી જેઠાની કું૦

i. e., MOOLJEE JAITHA & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers,
Bombay, 24th March 1880.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 29th March to 14th April 1880, both days inclusive.

THE HINDOOSTAN SPINNING & WEAVING MILLS COMPANY, LIMITED.

ધી હીંદુસ્તાન સપીનીંગ અને વીવીંગ કમપની, લીમિટેડ.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the NINTH (INTERIM) DIVIDEND, at the RATE of Rs. 40 per whole and Rs. 10 per quarter share, for the six months ending 31st December, 1879, will be PAID to the Shareholders whose names stood on the Company's Register on the 27th instant, at the Registered Office of the Company, 7, Hummum Street, on and after MONDAY, the 29th March, 1880, between the hours of 12 a. m. and 3 p. m., on PRODUCTION of SHARE CERTIFICATES.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

ઠાકરશી મુલજીની કું૦

i. e., THACKERSEY MOOLJEE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
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Cambric Handkerchiefs	doz. 4	8
Lounge Caps	each 1	12
Felt Hats, all Shapes	4	0
Tweed Hats	4	0
Gauze Merino Bantams	3	0
Flannel Belts	each 1	6
Sun Umbrellas	6	2
Air Pillows and Cushions	6	2
Linen Collars, the best	8	12
Hat Cases	8	12
Cotton Socks	doz. 7	14
Warm Merino Socks	doz. 12	0
Scotch Lambswool	,, 18	12
Warm Undervests	each 5	4
Warm Drawers	,, 5	4

	Rs.	a.
Warm Mufflers	1	0
Warm Gloves	1	10
Warm Mitts	1	8
Cords for Pith	0	14
Linen Faced Collars	0	10
,, ,, Cuffs	1	4
,, ,, Shirts	0	14
Overland Chairs	8	6
Rug Straps	2	4
Cloth Brushes	0	2
Nail Brushes	0	8
Tooth Brushes	0	8
Shoe Umbrellas	19	0
Cabin Travelling Baths	35	0
Braces	1	4
Fitted Hide Dressing Bags	57	0
Slippers	from 3	8
Leather Purses	3	8
Hair Brushes	3	8
Bank Note Cases	2	10
Money Belts	4	4
Sovereign Boxes	2	10

	Rs.	a.
Courier Bags	1	3
Carpet Bags	7	14
Hide Hand Bags	11	0
Bags for Soiled Linen	4	12
Best Overland Trunks	24	0
Railway Portmanteaus	14	0
Sun Sponges	3	0
Sponge Bags	1	8
Hair Brushes and Comb in Case	9	4
Marine Soap	0	6
Soap Boxes	1	8
Tooth Powder	1	0
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BLUE Superfine Frock Coat, Silk Lined all through	45 to 50
UNIVERSITY Coat, Superfine Black Cloth, Lined Italian Cloth	30 to 35
UNIVERSITY Coat, Vest and Trouser. Superfine Black Cloth Coat, Lined with Italian Cloth	55 to 60
UNIVERSITY Coat, best Blue Venetian, Lined Italian Cloth	35
UNIVERSITY Coat, best Steel Grey Venetian, Lined Italian Cloth	35
UNIVERSITY Coat, Vest and Trouser of light Grey, Dark Grey, Brown, Dark Brown, Drab, and Steel Grey Coating, per suit, expressly manufactured for warm climates	38 to 45
CAMBRIDGE Coat and Trouser of fine Grey, light Grey, Steel Grey, Brown, Dark Brown, and Drab guaranteed to give excellent wear and will be found really cooler than Drill. The Suit	30
CAMBRIDGE Coat and Trouser in English Tweeds, Scotch Tweeds, Home Spun Cheviots, Angolas, a large stock to select from and are guaranteed to be thoroughly shrunk. The Suit	25 to 30
CAMBRIDGE Coat and Trouser, Blue Serge, guaranteed fast colour	25
CAMBRIDGE Coat and Trouser, Yachting Serge, guaranteed fast colour	25
TROUSER, English and Scotch Tweeds, Angolas, Home Spuns, Cheviots, Whip Cords, &c., in all the latest and most fashionable designs	10 to 14
BREECHES, Bedford-Cord in Brown Drab Light and Dark Drab	18 to 20
BREECHES, Whip Cord Slate, Brown Drab Light and Dark Fawns	16 to 18
SHAKAR Suits, Coat and Trouser in all the prevailing colours, and warranted to turn Spun Grass. The Suit	10 to 15
COAT and Trouser, White Linen Drill	12 to 14
WHITE English Drill Coat and Trouser, best quality	10
WHITE American Drill Coat and Trouser will give capital service	7 to 8
STRIPED and Coloured Drills, Coat and Trouser	10 to 12
WHITE Cricketing Flannel Coat and Trouser	25
WHITE, very fine Serge, just the thing for the Hot Weather. The Coat and Trouser	25

FLANNEL SHIRTS.

A new assortment of best Wove Flannel and Silk and Wool Flannel, Toe Silk and Wool Fabric is specially adapted for the Hot Weather.

WOVE Flannel Shirts	each 7
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We have received our new stock and offer for inspection a really choice assortment. Shirts with Collars attached, per half dozen ..... 21 to 27
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WHITE SHIRTS.

LONG CLOTH SHIRTS, per half dozen	18
WITH Linen Fronts, Collars and Cuffs, per half dozen	24

SLEEPING SUITS.

BEST Wove Flannel, thoroughly Shrunk	12 to 14
BEST Silk and Wool Flannel, Thoroughly Shrunk	14 to 16
ZEPHYR Cloth Flannel, thoroughly Shrunk	5 to 4

JUST OPENED.—A new supply of Gents' Undervests, the Quality of which cannot be surprised at the price per half dozen from ..... 8 to 24

GENTS' SOCKS.

BROWN COTTON, white Cotton Thread, fine striped and plain Merino, fine Saxony Merino Striped and Plain, from ..... per dozen	8 to 15
KNICKERBOCKER Half Hose, a good sock ..per doz	12 to 18
KNICKERBOCKER Stockings, First class quality, per pair	3-8

HATS

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 24, 1880.

THE London telegrams of yesterday's date report very few changes in any of the markets. Consols were still quoted at 98. French Rentes had advanced to Frcs. 117¾. Indian Government Securities were unchanged in value.

In Mincing Lane Coffee is again cheaper, being quoted at 94s per, cwt. for Mid. Plantation and 63s. per cwt. for Good Ordinary Native Ceylon: the landings amount to 1,937 tons, and the deliveries to 1,200 tons, and the present stock is 19,000 tons. Cocoanut Oil is still quoted at £33-10s. for Ceylon and £36 per ton for Cochin.

In the quotations for Bank shares, Orientals show an advance of 30s., being now quoted at £23 10s. The report of the Directors of the Agra Bank for the past year has come to hand by the mail, and is of a decidedly favourable character, showing a net profit of £77,000, out of which it is proposed to pay a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum and appropriate £25,000 to the Reserve Fund and £25,000 to the Contingent Fund.

The Cotton market in Liverpool yesterday closed quiet, sales 8,000 bales, of which only 500 bales were Surats: the only alteration in quotations is a decline of 1-16th per lb. in G. F. Bengals. The following extract from Messrs. Smith Edwards & Co.'s Circular may be of interest, as showing the opinion in Liverpool respecting the staple to some extent when the last mail left:—

The month of February commenced with a very strong feeling, caused by the buoyant state of trade in Manchester, where prices of Yarn were advancing rapidly and a large general business was doing. Middling Uplands on the spot were quoted 7¼d. and June delivery 7 5-16d. For the first half of February the trade demand continued exceedingly strong. The accounts from Manchester were of a most encouraging kind, and prices of Cotton steadily hardened, especially on the spot, till 7¼d. was quoted for Middling Uplands and 7 9-16d. for June delivery. A noteworthy feature was the almost entire disappearance of premiums on the summer months, caused by the great strength of the spot market and the free offerings from America.

At one time the market seemed so strong that a rapid advance to 8d. appeared not unlikely, and had American receipts kept declining as they did the first week of February that price would probably have been reached; but quite unexpectedly to people here the receipts took an upward turn, and the second and third week of February each showed an increase; this caused a decided enlargement of crop estimates, for in place of 4¼ millions being the favourite figure estimates of 5,600,000 to 5,700,000 came to the front on both sides of the Atlantic. The American markets also showed great weakness; the advancing tendency of ours was repeatedly checked by a poor response from the other side, and large selling took place in futures on American account. For some time the two opposing influences about balanced each other, but at last the pressure of sales from America proved the stronger, spinners relaxed their demand and a dull period supervened. For about ten days the business has been small and prices have given way ½d. from the highest point, closing at 7¼d. on the spot and 7 5-16d. for June delivery.

A large speculation took place in Egyptian Cotton during the month owing to its relative cheapness and the large profits making in the fine spinning trade. Spinners have bought very heavily of this class of Cotton, and their consumption is much larger than last year.

It remains to be seen whether Cloth will overtake the extraordinary rise in Yarn; we confess we have doubts on that head, it seems to us that a good deal of the late rise has been speculative, and it seems more likely that Yarn will decline to the level of Cloth, than that the latter should rise to the level of Yarn. The consumption of Cotton is now very large, the Oldham mills are working low counts and forcing through a large quantity of Cotton. Some put the consumption now at 60,000 bales per week of large bales, that is 20 per cent above the average of the last nine months of last year. Will so large an increase in the production of Yarn not satisfy the demand ere long, or at least relieve the scarcity that is now felt? we rather think it will, and therefore we look upon present prices as somewhat inflated. It is true that the Trade are so well engaged that perhaps no great decline will take place at present, but when their contracts run out they will not be repeated, unless Cloth has taken up a better position. One feature may tell against Manchester in the future, viz. the declining tendency of Silver and Eastern exchange; the Government drawings continue large, and are likely to do so, and it is not unlikely that Germany may renew her sales of Silver, seeing that all hope of a bi-metallic compact is laid aside for the present. It seems highly probable that whenever Germany begins to sell there will be a fresh panic in the Silver market, and merchants need to keep that in mind, remembering how severely they have suffered before. The Manchester market closes dull, with a decided tendency to lower prices.

Telegrams from Manchester of yesterday's date report a quite but steady market. The quotations for Grey Shirtings are the same as on Friday last: a decline of ¾d. per piece has taken place in 3 lbs. Madapollams and 1½d. per piece in 5½ lb. 50 in. Madapollams, and ¾d. per piece in 39 in. Jacconets.

The New York telegrams of yesterday's date continue to report ready Mid. Uplands at 13 3-16 cents. per lb. Futures are quoted at 13 40 against 13·42 on Monday.

The Receipts at the U. S. ports to date compare with the past two seasons as follows, viz:—

	1880.	1879.	1878.
Yesterday's Receipts.....	8,000	9,000	16,000
Four days' Receipts.....	31,000	29,000	39,000
Total since 1st Sept.....	4,412,600	4,073,000	3,848,000

Bar Silver was quoted in London yesterday at 52 1-16d. per oz.—a decline of 1-16d. per oz. on the previous day.

EXCHANGE has again been very quiet, rates are nominally firm, but there is no demand whatever for Bank Paper. Mercantile Bills are only offering to a very moderate extent, but yet at the close there are no buyers. The cause no doubt is that more than usual uncertainty exists as to the probable rates at which Council Drafts will be allotted in London to-day.

Calcutta Sterling rates are unaltered. Our quotation which are quite nominal, are as follows:—

Bank Bills, on demand	1s. 8 1-16d.		per Rupee.
Do. 3 months' sight.	1s. 7-32d.		"
Credits 3	" "	1s. 8 11-32d.	"
Documents 3	" "	1s. 8 13-32d.	"
Francs 3	" "	2·15.	"

On Calcutta we quote demand drafts at par and 60 days' sight bills at 99 3-16 per Rupee.

At the weekly Board Meeting of the Directors of the Bank of Bombay to-day, no change was made in the rate of discount.

GOVERNMENT PAPER is very dull at £94¾ for Fours and Rs. 101¾ for Fours-and-a-half.

SHARES.—Market closed for the Holi Holidays and will not re-open until Tuesday next.

COTTON.—A moderate amount of busidess has been done during the day at a decline of Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 per candy on our yesterday's quotations. The arrivals from up-country yesterday amounted to 6,946 bales, making a total of 29,950 bales for four days. We quote:—

Good Dholleras,	Ready.....	Rs. 238 per candy	F. P
F. G. F.	"	..... " 230	" "
Good Oomrawuttee,	"	..... " 235	" "
Good M. G. Broach,	"	..... " 216	" "

SEEDS.—There is a moderate business passing in Linseed at Rs. 6-5 per cwt. For Rapeseed there is still no enquiry.

WHEAT is steady at Rs. 34 per candy for White.

FREIGHTS are quiet, and the excitement of last week may now be considered to have blown over. For ready steam tonnage to Liverpool 47s. 6d. per ton is the rate, and via Cape 37s. 6d. per ton for Iron Ships. Continental rates are all unchanged.

PIECE GOODS.—The market is quiet but fairly steady at rather easier prices. There will be nothing doing now, however, until after the Holidays.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE STEAMER LADY FRANCES, 284 tons, Captain R. R. Williams, sailed yesterday for Moulmein, in ballast.

THE SHIP FRANCONA, 1,461 tons, Captain W. M. Otes, will sail to-day for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

ARRIVALS.

Mar.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From.
23	Theron(s)	Loggin	London, Feb 24.
24	H M Wild Swan(s)	Doeres	Trincomalee, Mar 13.

DEPARTURES.

Mar.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
24	Lady Frances(s).....	Williams	Moulmein.

The following vessels obtained their port clearance yesterday:—
Steamer Assiris, Rocco, to Genoa.
Ship Franconia, Otes, to Liverpool.

The steamer Umballa, to K Coast and Kurrachee, was entered for loading yesterday.

MADRAS.

Mar. ARRIVALS.
20 Khedive (s) .... Calcutta.
Mar. DEPARTURES.
21 Khedive (s) .... Southampton.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—MARCH 22.

Fasken, Lieut, 3rd Sikhs Regt, on leave, from Kabul.

MARCH 23.

Fairlough, Lieut Col, 48th Regt, on leave, from Secundrabad.
Campbell, Lieut, R H A, from leave, from England.
Gerald, Major, 3rd Cavalry H C, on leave, from Mominabad.
Wright, Lieut, 93rd Highlanders, on duty, from England.
Fox, Lieut, R A, on duty, from Aden.
Fagan, Col, 2nd P W O Grenadiers, on leave, from England.
Nisbit, Major, Staff Corps, from leave, from England.
Hunter, Major, Comst Dept, from leave, from England.
Anderson, Lieut Col, 1st Grenadiers, from leave, from England.

MARCH 24.

Ross, Captain, 29th Regt, on leave, from Mhow.
Oxley, Captain, 92nd Highlanders, on leave, from Kabul.
Fleming, Surgn Major, on leave, from Thull.

DEPARTURES.—MARCH 24.

Brereton, Major, R A, on duty, to Bellary.
Ross, Captain, 29th Regt, on leave, to Matheran.
Fagan, Col, 2nd P W O Grenadiers, to rejoin, to Nusserabad.
Nisbet, Major, Staff Corps, to rejoin, to Simla.

THE NAVY.

ADMIRALTY, 2nd March, 1880.

THE announcement contained in the London Gazette of the 7th November, 1879, of the promotion of Lieut-nant Frederick Ralph Carr to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, is cancelled.

ADMIRALTY, 3rd March, 1880.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 26th November, 1879—Lieut Hubert Edward Madden Boarke has been placed on the Retired List from the 27th ultimo.

THE ARMY

WAR OFFICE, March 2.

13th Regt of Foot—Gen Lord Mark Kerr, C B, from the 54th Foot, to be Col, vice Gen P S Stanhope dec.

54th Regt of Foot—Lieut-Genl J R Sturst, C B, to be Col, vice Gen Lord M Kerr, C B, transferred to the 13th Foot.

Royal Artillery—Major Genl H Smithett (late Bengal) to be Lieut-Col, vice Brevet Col D Mac Farlan [late Bengal] placed upon the Seconded List; Capt L H S James [late Bengal] to be Major, vice H Smithett, promn. Capt E B Hodgson [late Bengal] to be Captain upon supernumerary List to be Capt, vice L H S James, promn; Lieut S G Fairclough, upon the Seconded List, to be Capt upon the Seconded List, Lieut A J Bigge to be Capt, vice W Cotton, placed upon the Seconded List on being appointed Aejt to the 4th West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteers. The third Christian name of Lieut J W M Newton, who was placed upon the Seconded List in the *Gazette* of Jan. 23, 1880, is Marsden, and not Marsden, as therein stated. The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieuts:—F T L Dames, vice S E L Lendrum, dec; C D Guinness, vice R E L Dacres, dec; G Osborn, vice A S Griffiths, prom; C C Anderson, vice F M Turner, prom; G D Baker, vice J W Yeburry, prom; R G Prettyman, vice W S Baldock, prom; G L W Grierson, vice C F Magrath, placed upon temporary half-pay; T K E Johnston, vice W H Darby, placed upon the Seconded List; W F Cockburn, vice W L Alves, dec; H G Taylor, vice P Hussey, prom; D G Princep, vice H T S Yates, prom; G E Weitzall, vice H E Preston, prom; S B Von Donop, vice J P Rogers, prom; A H Gordon, vice G R Hadaway, prom; E D H Buckley, vice E T D Cotton, prom; G D Chamier, vice H T Corling, prom; F J M Crampton, vice R Pardy, prom; W Y Foster, vice M W R Brotherton, resigned; C B St J Mildmay, vice D M D Waterfield, prom; G E Bryant, vice I M Gordon, resigned; A Stokes, vice W J Fowler, prom; F J Winter, vice E F Brackenbury, prom; G Wood, vice F E Walter, prom; Edward Tinker, vice F J Burridge, prom; C G Neish, vice R C E North, prom; W Elliot, vice P H Hammond, prom; A M C Dale, vice J R C Sclater, prom; C de Jersey, vice W G Pollard, placed upon the Seconded List; A L Tisdall, vice H H Kelly, resigned; L P Carden, vice R A Montgomery, prom; W C Hunter-Blair, vice A J Nixon, prom. Very Surg W Boyd retires upon temp half-pay.

Chaplains' Department—The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve promotion being conferred upon the undermentioned officer in recognition of his services during the late Zulu campaign:—Chaplain of the Second Class, the Rev C J Coar, M A, to be chaplain of the first class.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL, 5th March, 1880.

2nd Life Guards, Lieut Sir George C A Arthur, Bart, from the Hertford Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant L E Ames, resigned.

16th Lancers, 2nd Lieut M O Little to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable C G Lascelles.

20th Hussars, Maj F Chenevix-Trench to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J C Lockwood, retired on half-pay.

Grenadier Guards, The Commission of Quartermaster T W Gunton is ant-dated to 7th January, 1880.

Coldstream Guards, Lieut and Capt R Pole-Carew is seconded for service on the Staff.

Scots Guards, Lieut F D Astley resigns his Commission.

Brigade Depot, Lieut-Col and Brevet Col P Robertson-Ross, C B, having served five years as a substantive Lieut-Colonel, is placed on half-pay.

4th Foot, Capt J W G Telfer retires on a pension, with the honorary rank of Major.

Li-ut G H B Elliott resigns his Commission.

5th Foot, Lieut G H Dyke to be Captain, vice W F Longbottom, retired on half-pay.

Lieut R Le M Trafford to be Captain, vice J W Pearse-Hobbs, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces.

Second Lieut H L Clark to be Lieutenant, vice G H Dyke.

Second Lieut G M Harding to be Lieutenant, vice, E Le M Trafford.

7th Foot, Captain B S du Jardin retires on a pension, with the honorary rank of Major.

8th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieut-Col E Tanner to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel H G Woods, promoted Major-General.

Capt and Brevet Major W Bannatyne to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel E Tanner.

Lieut A A Ruck to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W Bannatyne.

Second Lieut L C Dundas to be Lieutenant, vice A A Ruck.

Second Lieut S L Cotton, from the 76th Foot, to be Second Lieutenant, vice L C Dundas.

9th Foot, Capt D G Kane retires on a pension with the honorary rank of Major.

11th Foot, Lieut Ross Thompson to be Captain, vice S Reid, retired.

Second Lieut W J K Dobbin to be Lieutenant, vice R Thompson.

18th Foot, Lieut C E Diron to be Captain, vice C H Stevenson, re ired on a pension.

Second Lieut A G Chichester to be Lieutenant, vice C E Diron.

20th Foot, Second Lieut R C Blencowe to be Lieutenant vice R G Randall, promoted.

22nd Foot, Second Lieut G G Parsons, from the 106th to be Second Lieutenant, vice C J Bond, deceased.

Lieut Lieu G J Butcher, from the 107th Foot, to be Foot, Second Lieut, vice R H Rattray, promoted.

23rd Foot, Capt D M Roe retires on a pensions with the honorary rank of Maj.

29th Foot, Second Lieut C J E A McArthur, from the 9th Foot, to be Second Lieut vice C J Corfield, promoted.

28th Foot, The surname of the Lieut appointed Adjt, in the Gazette of 24th February, 1880, is Lindell, and not Linsdell, as therein stated.

35th Foot, Capt and Bt Maj E R B Barnes to be Major vice Brev Lieut Col S F Blyth, deceased.

Lieut A S H Gem to be Captain, vice Brevet Major E R B Barnes.

36th Foot, Lieut M Doherty to be Adjt, vice Lieut F S Allen, who resigns that appointment.

39th Foot, Lieut R Whalley to be Capt, vice Bt Maj F G Hamilton, retired on a pension.

40th Foot, Lieut T C Hood, from the 48th Foot, to be Capt, vice F W G H Nelson, deceased.

43rd Foot, Qrmr C V Leech, from 56th Foot, to e Qrmr, vice C Cooley, who exchanges.

56th Foot, The promotion to the rank of Capt of Lieut Alexander William Fair is antedated to 29th October 1879.

52nd Foot, Second Lieut L T Fitz Gibbon, from 62nd Foot, to be Second Lieut, vice F J Stopford, resigned.

55th Foot, Capt F Barnston retires on a pension with the honorary rank of Maj.

56 Foot, Qrmr C Cooley, from the 43rd Foot, to be Qrmr, vice C V Leech, who exchanges.

58th Foot, Lieut G F V B Smyth, retires on temporary half-pay.

61st Foot, Lieut (with local and temporary rank) V Semini, from the Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, to be Second Lieut, vice W L Boswell, transferred to the 44th Foot.

63rd Foot, Lieut H S Smyth to be Adjt, vice Lieut W Palmer, promoted.

67th Foot, Capt L N Moore retires on half-pay.

70th Foot, Sub-Lieut A E Conper to be Lieut.

79th Foot, Maj J M'D Allardice to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J H Tripp, retired on a pension.

Capt A E Pearse to be Maj, vice J M'D Allardice.

81st Foot, Lieut-Col W B Browne retires on half-pay.

Second Lieut S W Cracroft, from the 20th Foot, to be Second Lieut, in succession to Second Lieut J R Fraser, 47th Foot, promoted.

Second Lieut C Davidson, from the 104th Foot to be Second Lieut, in succession to Second Lieut J B Watkin, 47th Foot, promoted.

87th Foot, Lieut Evelyn Charles Martin to be Capt, vice F G Vaudon, retired on half-pay.

89th Foot, Capt Joseph Robert McMurray retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity.

93rd Foot, Supernumerary Capt the Hon W Fitz W Elliot to be Capt, vice Brev Maj F B Staples, retired on a pension.

94th Foot, Lieut E Harding resigns his Commission.

98th Foot, Lieut Col A Scoborras retires on full pay, with the honorary rank of Col.

104th Foot, Maj J G Campbell to be Lieut Col, vice Bt Col Graeme, placed on half-pay.

Capt and Bt Maj C M Boswell to be Maj, vice J G Campbell.

Brs Maj H Spalding, from Seconded Capt, to be Capt, vice Bt Maj C M Boswell.

107th Foot, Lieut F H Thorndike to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieut A Batson, promoted.

Staff, Lieut Col D R Barnes, half pay, late 14th Foot, to be Depy Adjt and Qrmr Genl at the Cape of Good Hope, vice Major and Bt Col W Bellairs, C B, half pay, Unattached, who vacates that appointment.

Half pay, Lieut C E Whalley, from the 108th Foot, to be Capt.

Lieut M Wynyard, from the 44th Foot, to be Capt. Medical Department, Surg Maj H Mitchell is granted retired pay, with the honorary rank of Bgde Surgn.

Surg Maj E A Gibbon is granted retired pay, with the honorary rank of Bgde Surgn.

Surg Maj W Millar is granted retired pay, with the honorary rank of Bgde Surgn.

The surname of the Bgde Surgn, described in the Gazette of the 24th February, 1880, as Sampson Rock, is Rock.

Veterinary Department, Vety-Surg C Steel, from 16th Lancers, to be Inspecting Vety-Surgn vice W Reid, retired on half-pay.

George Aitken, Gent, to be Vety-Surgn, on probation.

BREVET.

Capt H Leake, half-pay late 70th Foot, to be Maj.

The following promotion to take place in succession to Gen W B Wemyss, Bl Cavy, placed on the Retired List on the 15th February 1880:—

Lieut-Genl W F Nuthal, Bl Infy, to be Genl.

The following Officers to be Colonels:—

Lieut-Col A A Des Vœux, Bom S C.

Lieut-Col J P Pedler, Mad S C.

Lieut-Col T Dyer, Mad S C

Lieut-Col J O Hobson, Bom S C.

Lieut-Col C S Lane, Beng S C.

Lieut Colonel W G Davies, C.S.I., Ben S C.

Lieut Col R G Rogers C.B., Ben S C.

Lieut Col H M Wemyss, Ben S C

Lieut Col B T Stafford, Beng S C

Lieut Col J P Turton, Ben S C.

Lieut Col E O'B Horsford, Ben S C.

Lieut Col J E B Parsons, Ben S C.

Lieut Col J F L Fisher, Ben S C.

Lieut Col C C Reiss, Ben S C

Lieut Col F J Miller, Mad S C.

Lieut Col B H W Magrath, Mad S C

Lieut Col J C Hora, Ben S C.

Lieut Col D S Buist, Ben S C

Lieut Col H C Smith, Ben S C

Lieut Col R C Lavie, Mad S C

Capt and Lieut Col Lord W F E Seymour, Coldstream Guards.

MEMORANDA.

Lieut Col and Bt Col J B Kirk, half-pay, late 91st Foot, retired from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission, on the 21st February.

Capt and Bt Lieut Col H D Smart, half pay Unattached, has been permitted to retire from the Ser vice, receiving the value of his Commission.

Capt and Bt Maj H Leake, half pay, late 70th Foot, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission.

Capt St J E Daubeny, half pay, late 38th Foot, retires from the service, receiving the value of his Commission

Surg Gen T Best, late Medical Department, has been permitted to commute his retired pay.

Surg D J Canny, half pay, late Medical Department, has been permitted to commute his half pay.

CENTRAL PROVINCES ORDERS.

(*Central Provinces Gazette*, March 20.)

Surgn Maj Strong, in medical charge of the Saugor Jail, is also appointed to the executive charge thereof.

One year's furlough is granted to Mr Lindsay Neill, C S, officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.

Mr J H Glass, C S, Ex Engr, Jubbulpore Division, is granted three months' privilege leave.

DAILY IMPORTS.—MARCH 23.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Olympia s—40 cases stout and 20 cases ale, H B Sleeman and Co.
Batavia s—25 cases beer, 20 cases whiskey and 220 boxes bar soap, Aldridge, Salmon and Co; 300 casks beer and 100 cases porter, Framjee, Sands and Co; 10 bags corks, Cadurbhoy Currimbhoy; 100 boxes bar soap, Sondas Sumsoodin.

FROM LONDON.

Erlking s—10 cases matches, Tyebally Soolianally; 9 casks hardware, A Murcott and Co; 10 cases matches, Hajee Essack Sooh and Son; 19 cases quinine, Volkart Brothers; 5 bales papers, Joseph Soares.
Zambesi s—153 boxes bar silver (Rs 4,20,000), the French Bank.
Vortiern s—5 bales paper, Joseph Soares; 1 hhd whiskey, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Columbia s—8 packages earthenware, Dhunjee Jairas.
Centurion, s—30 boxes window glass, Currimbhoy Tajbhoy; 25 cases whiskey, C H B Forbes and Co; 13 packages glassware and 8 packges earthenware, E P Mahomed; 13 puskets tar and 16 casks pitch, Hasenn Ahmed; 852 blocks asphalte, Bahintoola Bhayseebhoy.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Zambesi s—6 cases saffron, E F Kothary; 1 case saffron and 8 cases aniline dye, L Nanon and Co.
Singapore s—25 boxes bar silver (Rs. 90,000), the French Bank.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Singapore s—95 boxes brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee: 16 cases foolscape papers, Abdoolally Abdoolrehman and Co.

FROM GENOA.

Singapore s—24 cases claret, H Cowasjee.

DAILY EXPORTS.—MARCH 23.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Assay—68 cwts coir yarn, Abdoola Hajee Ahmed; 58 bales cotton, J C Bushby and Co; 120 cwts myrobalans, Visram Toolseedass: 230 bales cotton, Thos H Moore and Co.
Shakespear—50 bales cotton, Wm Bell; 100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Columbia s—250 tons old iron, Finlay, Muir and Co: 500 bales cotton, A Blaschech and Co.
J B Brown—962¼ cwts linseed, Gangjee Nurput; 500 bales cotton, J C Bushby and Co; 100 bales cotton, Thos H Moore and Co; 412 cwts myrobalans, Jeejee Ramjee; 97 bales hemp, Buxwandass Jewraz.
Rydal Hall s—12 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co.
Olympia s—50 tons old iron, C H B Forbes and Co; 210 cwts coir yarn, James Scot; 2,000 cwts wheat and 12,001 cwts linseed, Killick, Nixon and Co; 300 bales cotton, John Macshall; 1,276 bales cotton, Rallis Brothers; Cassels and Co; 300 bales cotton, Wallace and Co; 2,3 0 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 1,680 bales cotton, Rallis Brothers; 100 tons old iron, Finlay, Muir and Co; 150 bales cotton, W and A Graham and Co.
G W Ward s—51 cwts dry ginger, Tarpall Godoo: 100 bales wool, N Sorabjee and Co; 55 bales wool, Luckmidass Khimjee.

FOR GLASGOW.

Olympia s—505¼ cwts linseed, Killick, Nixon and Co; 4,000 cwts linseed, W and A Graham and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Earlking s—45 bales wool, M Mackenzie and Co; 104 bales cotton, Havey and Sabapaty; 26 cwts m-o'-p shells, Janmahamed Remtoola: 140 cwts dry ginger, Currimsee Khetsee and Co; 66 cwts dry ginger, Joseph Soares; 112 bales hides, Mahamedally Abdoola: 7 bales skins, Lang, Moir and Co.

FOR NEW YORK.

Antonia s—10 cwts buffalo horns, Punnett and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.

Dido—130 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co; 200 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co; 200 bales cotton, Sigg, Sulzer and Co: 500 bales cotton, Ralli, Brothers: 200 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.
Vortigern s—300 bales hemp, A Blaschech and Co; 200 bales cotton, Ralli, Brothers; 100 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Leo s—2350 cwts gingelly seed, Tyebjee and Co; 8 bales silk, L Singer and Co.
Franley s—500 cwts buffalo horns, A Blaschech and Co:
Singapore s—500 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR BARCELONA.

Singapore s—509 bales cotton, Knoop and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Chanda s—75 bales cotton, Ramgopal Foolchund.

FOR GENOA.

Singapore s—100 bales cotton, L Singer and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Vortigern s—100 bales cotton, A Blaschech and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Nizam s—34 bales twist, Ewart, Latham and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Nizam s—10 cases fishmaws and sharkfins, and 25 bales twist, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy; 50 bales twist, Hajee Abdoola Noor Mahomed; 65 bales cotton, Muraibhoy Vichbhoocundas; 272 cwts alibanum, Tebelly Jafferbhoy; 31 cwts byasbole; Tribhovun Muncharam; 68 bales cotton, Hajee Essac Elias; 10 bales twist, Wallace and Co; 15 bales twist, Munoor Hurka; 15 bales twist, Finlay, Muir and Co; 2 bales twist, S N Talatee; 49½ chests opium, N J Abrahim; 7 cwts nuxvavang and, 13 cwts nuxvalong, 5 cwts cubol Cadur Ismailjee; 11¼ cwts cloves, and 8¾ cwts byasbole, Shaik Ahmed Shaik Dawood; 73¾ cwts cloves, 10¾ cwts nuxvavang, 10¼ cwts wax, and 26 cwts betelnuts, Yue Lun Chin.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Nizam s—13 chests opium, Guneshlall Shobhagmull; 32 chests opium, Guneshlall Shobhagmull; 13 chests opium, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy; 144 chests opium Goolraz Juggunath.

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Byculla, 3rd Sept.

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The subscriptions will be duly acknowledged in the local papers as received.

CHARLES DOUGLAS,
DOSABHOY FRAMJEE,
Honorary Secretaries.

Bombay, 16th March 1880.

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

EUROPE.

DEATHS.

WITHERS—At Rhyl, North Wales, on the 2nd instant, Nora Helen, and on the 5th instant, George Randles, the beloved children of Major Withers, 25th Regiment Bombay Light Infantry.

BOMBAY.

MARRIAGE.

TEMPLE—SEARLE—March 18th, at the Cathedral, Calcutta, by the Rev. W. MacCarthy, assisted by the Rev. T. Spear, Lieutenant Richard Carnac Temple, B. S. C., F. R. G. S., M. R. A. S., &c., Cantonment Magistrate, Ferozepore, Punjab, eldest son of Sir Richard Temple, Bart., G. C. S. I., C. I. E., late Governor of Bombay, to Agnes Fanny, second daughter of Major General G. A. Searle, late R. S. C.

All MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES and other Remittances sent to this office should be made payable to the "Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*."

The Bombay Gazette

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1880.

A CURIOUS story reaches us from Madras to show perhaps that they manage things better in the so-called benighted Presidency than elsewhere. It seems, so the story runs, that the Madras Government, having been desired to curtail its jail expenditure, or to economise upon it, has hit upon the happy thought of adapting the prisoners to the diet in place of the diet to the prisoners, and with this object in view has ordered a jail delivery of a number of prisoners, in honour, as the simple prisoners suppose, or suppose for the present, of Christmas or New Year's Day. By this brilliant feat of legerdemain the Inspector General, who could not manage by a fixed dietary scale to feed the same number of prisoners with a reduced allotment, will now be enabled to keep his jails going upon a reduced number of prisoners. No one can say after this that the benighted cannot, like cats, look about in the dark; the only difficulty connected with that style of administrative economy being the question, where will it end? As a correspondent of a Madras journal puts it, "As His Grace's clemency is not to be confined to well conducted prisoners alone, we must conclude that the liberation of such will not afford sufficient relief to the jail budget, and that ill-conducted men, not murderers, burglars, or highwaymen, are to be let loose on the public because the Government cannot afford to feed them in confinement." Sooth to say, this is putting the shortcomings of Indian finance in a new and very disagreeable light. Finance is bad enough in all conscience with its everlasting and very cheeseparing economies, but what a terror will it now become to maiden ladies of a certain age and living alone, when it is known that Indian finance is really responsible for a number of robbers and ruffians set abroad? And, again, the same correspondent discovers what is a weak place in the Madras Government's "clemency" when he accuses it in return of "insolvency." Quoth he, "the public pay for protection against criminals, and if a mistaken economy lets loose upon society those whom society pays to keep beyond the powers of doing harm, it is a public breach of faith and an indication of the weakness of the ruling power. Which is all very true, but at the same time an unkind way of looking at the Madras Government's manner of doing business. We prefer to think that the Duke of Buckingham is indulging in some sly satire at the expense of the costly jail administration of India, and is taking a roundabout, but by no means ineffective, method of directing the Government of India's attention to a new and wide field for the economist's labours. The reason why the Indian public should be called upon to pay for the luxurious and lengthened accommodation of the criminal classes is far to seek. The old native way of managing robbers and dacoits, was exceedingly simple and inexpensive, and at the same time most effective; but we, perhaps, cannot quite reconcile it with our English civilisation to take off a man's head as a preventative of his committing any more crime. We accordingly make the poor, but honest, pay the price of our humanity. Moreover, administrative hobbies are not unknown in India, and jails and jail administration, are first and foremost of them all. The gratification which these institutions have afforded to members of the Civil and Medical services of India, and to statisticians generally, has been incalculable. Many public servants have erected their reputation upon them, and without them there are collectors and doctors who would die. The amusement that the jails provide for the *savans* of the services is abundant, and must prove highly beneficial to their health. The weighing of the prisoners, experiments in their diet, as to whether roast or boiled mutton, cocoa or tea, agrees best with them; their religious and secular education, their employment, their industries, are all highly useful in saving many valuable public servants from the horrors of *ennui*. And that the jails, from the Andaman Islands down to the last new thing in prison discipline started at Dustypore, are expensive playthings, only adds to their attractiveness. In India nothing cheap is ever valued, and it is always an understood thing that a Government institution must be maintained with a liberality becoming, we were going to say, the Government of India, but had better change the expression for—an Empire. We do not know what jails cost India, nor do we think that anyone else does. The sum must, however, be of sufficient magnitude to render economies in that department highly desirable and important, and of all the economies which have been suggested in reference to jail management, there is none that commends itself so well to our fancy as the reduction of the number of prisoners. But although the method of the Madras Government is admirable in its way, and in that way worthy of the highest commendation, we are not yet aware that we would quite follow it. We would rather prefer the method of the Madras police courts where the lash seems to be so freely used that the criminal classes have actually complained on the subject. They never complain seriously, it is said, of the treatment they receive in Her Majesty's Indian jails, and this, too, is highly creditable on "Pinafore" principles to those magnificently managed hotels for the dishon

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

BAR SILVER AND EXCHANGE.

LATEST LONDON QUOTATIONS.

LONDON, MARCH 24, 5 P. M.

At the weekly biddings for Council drafts upon India this afternoon tenders at 1 . 8⅜ received 2½ per cent., all above that in full.

It is notified that the amount to be offered next week is 45 lakhs.

Bar Silver closed at 52⅛d. per ounce, market firm.

Four per cent. Rupee paper, 79¼ ; Four-and-a-half ditto, 85⅝.

THE KABUL DEFENCES.

ALLAHABAD, MARCH 24.

KABUL, March 21.—The 24th N. I. is attached to the 3rd Brigade, and the 45th to the 1st Brigade till further orders. The following distribution of troops for the newly erected forts and posts is directed :—Balaboorj, half company ; Shahdarwaza fort, two companies; posts on the Eed Shahdarwaza hill, half company for each ; Fort Onslow, 200 men ; blockhouse east ditto, thirty ; Fort Abrahim, 200 ; Fort Siah Sung, 400 ; and the lower fort on ditto eighty. The three blockhouses on the Bemaru Hills are to have ten each, and the blockhouse in Bemarchoo gorge, ten. These posts are not to be fully occupied till necessity arises, but sufficient garrisons will be quartered to prevent them being destroyed. The forts on Shahdarwaza, Asmai, and Siah Sung and Fort Ebrahim Khan have been ordered to be provisioned for one month with seven days' supply of water.

The order has been republished prohibiting natives of the country from carrying arms within a radius of five miles from the city. All persons found with arms will be arrested.

The Kohat Mountain Battery moves to-morrow to Siah Sung.

The number of men in hospital is :—Europeans, 143 ; natives, 278.

The cavalry reconnaissance caused great consternation in Argandeb, the people there moving their property to the hills.

KOHISTAN.

General Gholam Hyder, reported to be at Dashti Suffed with 6,000 men and twelve guns, is anxiously expected by the Kohistanis, as his presence will settle matters, peace or war.

SUPPLIES.

Supplies of jowar, flour, and rice arrived to-day. From Ghazni all is reported quiet in the city and neighbourhood.

MIR BUTCHA AND SHAHBAZ KHAN.

KABUL, March 20.—Mir Butcha has written to Kohistan and announced his intention of proceeding to Istalif to attack Shahbaz Khan in company with Mir Said.

THE CAVALRY RECONNAISSANCE.

The Cavalry returned yesterday, having gone as far as Killa Kazee.

All is quiet in the Chardeh Valley.

Supplies of all kinds are coming in freely from Logar and Maidan. Mahomed Hassan Khan sent a letter to Sherpur yesterday. It is believed he is anxious to come to terms.

DEFENSIVE PREPARATIONS.

KABUL, March 19.—Orders have been issued this evening directing immediate strengthening of the Bemaru hills post. The Paimanar Kotal is held daily by 100 rifles.

YAKUB KHAN AT MUSSOORIE.

ALLAHABAD, MARCH 24.

The Goorkhas guard over Yakub Khan at Mussoorie has been withdrawn and police substituted.

[FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.]

AFFAIRS AT GHAZNI.

CALCUTTA, MARCH 24.

From Kabul it is stated that the interest of the situation in Afghanistan is concentrating a Ghazni, whence it is reported on the one side that the leading chiefs are about to give in their submission and on the other that they are contemplating a general rising towards the end of this month. It is reported that the Ghazni malcontents have been defeated by the Hazaras with the loss of two mountain guns and many killed.

THE JAGDALAK AND GANDAMAK COMMUNICATIONS.

The communications between Jagdalak and Gandamak have within the last few days been harassed by small parties of marauders.

EXCITEMENT AMONG THE KABULESE.

There is some excitement among the population as it was expected there would be at the time of the Mahomedan new year.

MR. LYALL'S MOVEMENT.

Mr. Lyall leaves Gandamak and reaches Sei Baba to-day.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE NEW PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, MARCH 24.

The *Times* expects that there will be an equal balance of parties in the next Parliament.

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS.

Lieutenant General William Charles Forrest has been appointed Colonel of the 8th Hussars.

Lieutenant General Sir Arnold Kemball has been appointed a General.

DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, MARCH 24.

The Royal Proclamation dissolving Parliament was issued to-day. It expresses thanks for the support given to the policy of the Government, the whole object of which has been to defend the Empire and secure peace. It states that the foreign relations of the country are friendly and favourable to the maintenance of tranquillity in Europe, and concludes by hoping for a speedy settlement of Afghanistan.

GERMANY AND RUSSIA.

BERLIN, MARCH 23.

At a banquet given in honour of the Emperor William's birth-day, His Majesty in proposing the toast of the Czar, said he counted firmly on the maintenance and consolidation of the good relations existing between Russia and Germany.

THE INCOMING MAILS.

ADEN, MARCH 24.

The P. and O. S. N. Company S. S. Surat, with the outward English Mails on the 12th instant left here for Bombay at 8 a.m. this morning, and the S. S. Australia for Galle and Calcutta at 1 a. m. this morning.

LONDON, MARCH 23.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed quiet. Surats unchanged.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

Fair Dholleras	5¾.
The Manchester market has been quiet but steady.	
7lbs. Shirtings	6-6
8½lbs. do.	7-7½
40s. Mule Twist	10½
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	79
4½ per cent. do.	85
3 per cent. Consols for account	98
5 per cent. French Rente, 1872	117¾
Bar Silver	52 1-16
Oriental Bank Shares	£ 23-10
Arrival.—Calipso.	

THERE will be no issue of the *Bombay Gazette* to-morrow (Good Friday.)

HER MAJESTY'S Wild Swan, 1,124 tons, Captain S. H. P. Dacres, arrived in harbour yesterday from Trincomalee, which port she left on the 13th inst. During the voyage she experienced fine weather and light north-westerly winds.

THE report of the Town Council proceedings, their Tuesday's meeting regarding the reservoir contract scandal, which was commenced in yesterday's *Gazette*, will be continued on Saturday. The arrival of the English mail compels us to hold it over, although the discussion is very interesting.

A CALCUTTA paper states that an order has been issued restricting the privilege leave granted to all military officers. No leave can be granted, except upon condition of an officer's being in a position to rejoin within two days of his receipt of information that his services are required with his regiment, or otherwise.

IT is satisfactory to see that the P. and O. Company are at last making an effort to work up to the new contract. Next week's mail steamer, the Surat, left Aden yesterday morning, so she should be in early on Tuesday.

LIEUTENANT RICHARD CARNAC TEMPLE, eldest son of Sir Richard Temple, was married on the 18th inst. at Calcutta, to the daughter of Major General Sandeman, late of the Madras Staff Corps.

THE first part of the report of the Indian Famine Commission, the English papers just to hand state, was expected to be issued this month and the next part before midsummer.

SIR T. MAHADAVA RAO, K. C. S. I., arrived in Bombay yesterday from Dwarka, and has taken up his residence at Nana Sunkeresett's bungalow, Tardeo.

THE Nizam's Government, the *Pioneer* says, reported that agricultural prospects in His Highness's dominions are somewhat unfavourable. The report seems not to have been endorsed by the British officers in Hyderabad.

A SUGGESTION is offered by the *Pioneer* to the "enterprising Parsees in Bombay" who are collecting subscriptions in aid of Professor Fawcett's election expenses, that they "ask the Professor if he is willing to accept such contributions from the already over-taxed people of India."

THE Commission appointed to inquire into the circumstances of the Kabul massacre, the *English-shman* believes, is intended to retain its present confidential character and will never probably see the light; that some of the decisions it arrives at are inconclusive and unconvincing; that others are the very opposite ; that various judicial minds have considered and sifted the evidence taken, and the deductions drawn from it, from various judicial points of view ; and last, but no least, that there is an apparent consensus of opinion on the part of those who have framed the report, as well as of those who have examined it, that Yakub Khan's share in the massacre was such that, if the demands of justice were strictly satisfied, he would, at the present moment, either be no expense at all to the Government, or to any one else, or be spending the remainder of his existence in a penal settlement, instead of at Masuri, where he is now posturing in the attitude of a deposed sovereign acquiring sympathy by a recital of what he calls his misfortunes and by charges against the very Government by whom he has not only been mercifully dealt with, but honourably treated.

A TELEGRAM, dated Hongkong March 5, and received in London the same day through the medium of the *New York Herald*, states :—"China is making heavy war preparations, and purchasing arms extensively. The Russian complication is the chief cause, but a defiant attitude is shown in a less degree towards foreign Powers generally."

THE trial of Mrs. Weldon in the Central Criminal Court, on a charge of libelling M. Riviere was concluded on 5th inst. when the jury returned a verdict of guilty and expressed the opinion that the statement was not made under circumstances which were privileged. Mr. Waddy, who appeared for the defence, asked that in consideration of the fact that there were civil actions pending the sentence should be postponed, to which the Recorder consented.

A PROPOSITION mooted by the Surrey County Cricket Club last season has just become a *fait accompli*, and a Challenge Cup for competition among the various county clubs have been instituted, the first series of contests for which will be played during the coming season. At a recent meeting, when the institution of the cup was decided on, and the rules adopted for regulating the competition, about fifty representatives of district county clubs were present, who gave their hearty adherence to the movement, while communications were received from many others to the same effect. The competition will be conducted on a method similar to that pursued in the annual contest for the Football Association Challenge Cup.

THE volunteer field-day on Easter Monday promises to be interesting and successful. Instructive it must be in any case, even if it proves to be what is popularly called a failure ; but there is good ground for trusting that the instruction afforded will be that derivable from well-executed manœuvres, and not from the demonstration of the incapacity of a large force of volunteers to carry out concerted movements. Some 27,000 men will, it is expected, be under arms, and these will be divided into two bodies—a defensive force 10,000 men strong, and an attacking corps 17,000 strong. The former will occupy Stanmer, and the interest of the fighting will concentrate mainly about the struggle for the possession of that locality. It has been arranged, however, that when the general advance upon Stanmer finally takes place the defenders are to withdraw, falling back towards Hollingbury Castle and Preston. Ultimately the defenders retiring towards Bevendean, finding their retreat cut off, will fall back to the Race Hill and race-course, and a march-past will bring the day's work to a close.

AN unpleasant though indirect confirmation of Dr. W. H. Russell's statements as to the indiscipline of our army under existing conditions, the *Pall Mall Gazette* says, comes from Brighton. Dr. Russell affirms that the young soldiers in Africa were too often drunk and disorderly, and that, Sir Garnet Wolseley to the contrary notwithstanding, they committed many outrages in gangs. At Brighton, it seems, some thirty or forty soldiers of the 16th Regiment, set upon a few policemen who were endeavouring to keep order with some drunken women, and injured them most severely. Nor is this a solitary outrage. A similar conflict, in which the police were also very badly used, was reported not long since from the West of England. Whatever may be the outcome of the dispute between Dr. Russell and the military authorities at the Cape—and the matter can scarcely rest where it is—it is only too clear that the class of men whom we now get as recruits are very difficult to keep in order even in barracks ; the want of trained non-commissioned officers of some standing renders the task yet more troublesome.

THE Liberals are said to be desperately down in the mouth since the Liverpool and Southwark elections, and the principal men of the party are loud in their denunciation of the folly of Gladstone and of Sir W. Harcourt. Lord Hartington they still respect, but they have no confidence in his power either to form a system of tactics for the party, or to get it adopted when formed, against the wishes of his unruly subordinates. Now is seen at last the effect of Gladstone's jealousy in getting rid of all his capable advisers, and in replacing them by pliable chief clerks. There is nobody to give counsel with understanding. The result is that the Liberals have made up their minds to a worse beating at the next election than the party has ever yet known. This, says *Vanity Fair*, is official.

ATTACK ON RUSSIAN OFFICERS IN TURKEY.

M. ONOU, Chief Dragoman of the Russian Embassy at Constantinople, and Colonel Commeroff, a Russian officer, while riding together through the faubourg of Pera on Sunday, Feb. 29, were fired upon by several Bosniacs, and the Colonel was so seriously wounded that he died on the following Wednesday, March 3. A telegram to the *Times*, dated Constantinople, March 1st, states :—

It is not yet known whether the shots were aimed at M. Onou or at Colonel Commeraou, the Russian staff officer who was with him. The two gentlemen were riding together through the faubourg of Pera called Shili. M. Onou was a few yards ahead, when three individuals in Oriental costume advanced towards Colonel Commeraou, and one of them, drawing a revolver, fired three shots, two of which wounded Colonel Commeraou on the leg. M. Onou's horse taking freight, galloped forward, and was closely followed by the other. Both were stopped at the guard house, a short distance off, Colonel Commeraou having in the meantime fallen on the road. Soldiers were immediately sent in pursuit of the culprits, and discovered them near the Sweet Waters of Europe In arresting them, the officer and one of the soldiers were severely wounded. A preliminary investigation has shown that the prisoners are Bosniacs, but the motive of their crime remains a mystery. They declare that they were quarrelling among themselves, and that the revolver was fired off in a scuffle, without any intention of wounding Colonel Commeraou or M Onou. Colonel Commeraou, however, declared that he saw the man take deliberate aim at him.

DIVINE SERVICE.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Service will be held this (Thursday) evening on board the Ship Assaye at 7-30 p. m. The Bethel flag will be hoisted in the afternoon. Captains, officers, and seamen are earnestly invited to attend. A large launch, for any friends wishing to go from shore, will leave Apollo Bunder at 7 p. m. precisely.

"The Upper Room" Dock-road, Mazagon (the street opposite the P & O gates). On Good Friday at 8 p. m. the Rev. H. G. Blackie, will conduct a Special Service, instead of the usual Bible Exposition.

IN THE HARBOUR.

CHAPLAIN—R. F. WINTER.

Divine Service will be held on board the J. G. Hulk Semiramis on Good Friday at 11 a.m. Captains, officers, and men are cordially invited to attend.

BENGAL.

THE Government of Bengal has paid Rs. 4,000 as a contribution to Dr. Fallon's Hindustani Dictionary.

THE E. I. R. VOLUNTEERS.—The East India Railway Volunteers passed a very creditable inspection on Friday last, before Brigadier General Ross, at Howrah, near Calcutta.

THE BOMBAY TROOPS IN AFGHANISTAN.

IN a steady stream the Bombay troops are advancing towards Kandahar to replace the Bengal regiments and corps under General Sir D. Stewart and enable that Commander to begin his march eastwards to Ghazni.

General Stewart is to be replaced, as our readers probably know, by Major General Primrose, C.S.I., who passed through Bombay last week on his way to the Front. The new Kandahar force will consist exclusively of Bombay troops.

The divisional staff has been appointed by H. E. the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Army with the sanction of the Government of India. Some of the officers of the staff have already proceeded or are accompanying General Primrose to the Front.

General Primrose will, on his arrival at Kandahar, exercise the supreme command.

To Major-General R. Phayre, C. B., who has had till now a brigade command in Western Afghanistan, whose ability and untiring energy have been so fully recognised by the Government, and who has rendered service in connection with the advance of our troops which have been fully and warmly appreciated by the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay army, has been confided the care of the whole line of communications from the frontier to Kandahar.

It is but recently that the importance of the duties connected with the ordering of the line of communications has been fully understood in our armies. In the German army the function of the communications, the General have always been held in high estimation and the officer to exercise them is always most carefully selected.

The selection of General Phayre for this post showsthat the importance in which it is held by the Commander-in-Chief.

The brigade commands in the division devolve upon Brigadier General Burrows, a well known, well tried, and highly valued officer of the Bombay Native Army ; and Brigadier General H. Brooks, the greater part of whose service in India has been rendered on the Bengal side, but who is well known to the Bombay army from having held the office of Adjutant General for the past two and half years.

It is to the excellent way in which General Brooks has discharged the difficult and important duties of this last office, that he is indebted for his selection for the appointment to a brigade command on service.

The command of the Royal Artillery devolves upon Colonel W. French. Lieutenant Colonel Hills, R. E., is commanding the Royal Engineers.

Surgeon Major O.'Nie', A. M. D., will be Principal Medical Officer and Lieutenant Colonel Beville will be Deputy Judge Advocate General. The Assistant Adjutant General and Assistant Quartermaster General to the force will be Major Burnett, 15th Foot, and Major Adam, S. C., respectively.

The Brigade Majors are Captain Nicholson, 27th N. I., Captain Cooke-Collis, 83rd Regiment, and Captain Larminie, R. E. Captain Harris, 66th Regiment, will be Deputy Quartermaster General.

The new Kandahar Column will be under the control of the Commander-in-Chief of the Army of this Presidency, as regards discipline and supply, including clothing, equipment, ammunition, and medical service, and will be dealt with in all these matters by His Excellency. Orders for the tactical and strategical movement of the troops will emanate, as at present, from the Commander-in-Chief.

GAIETY THEATRE.

ON Tuesday evening the house was filled, the occasion being Miss Birchenough's benefit. The pieces played were "Sarah's Young Man" and "She Stoops to Conquer." The unwonted amplitude of the audience seemed to infuse life and spirit into the company, the members of which never played better. "Sarah's Young Man," Mr. Tapping and Mr. Hewitt, Mr. Tapping and Miss Birchenough acquitted themselves well in it. "She Stoops to Conquer" was of course the piece of the evening, and it was perhaps the best acted of the many pieces which this hard working company have given. Mr. Hardcastle was very well conceived and very quietly given by Mr. Tapping who never forgot that he was representing a fine old English gentleman, all of the olden time. Mrs. Hardcastle (Miss Minnie Hampden) was, in our opinion, the very best impersonation of all ; the fun of the part never making her for an instant forget that she was a decidedly aristocratic young lady of forty. She avoided any suspicion of burlesque even in her chastisement of her graceless son Tony Lumpkin (Mr. Hewitt). We are inclined to liken Miss Hampden to Lord Beaconsfield's Greece, and say that she has a future. Mr. Tapping was quite at home as Tony Lumpkin, and it did one good to hear him laughing at his mother, the young rascal, he laughed out so heartily as if he thoroughly enjoyed the result of his stupid practical jokes. Miss Birchenough was less Hardcastle and Miss Edith Wilson Constance Neville. They acted with gaiety and effect, yet one was never quite sure that they would not give genteel comedy the go by and lead off with a burlesque dance. But if ladies are burlesque heroines five nights a week, what wonder ? Mr. Teesdale's Hastings and Mr. Cartwright's Marlow deserve a word of commendation. Mr. Cartwright showed to better advantage than in any other part that we remember. Diggory (Mr. Thompson) was extravagantly made up, with blue whiskers ! But the part was made the most of. The audience testified its appreciation of the success of the representation by repeated and very hearty plaudits. At the descent of the curtain some cartloads of bouquets were shot from the boxes at the fair *beneficiare*.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Volunteer Rifle Association meeting, Coorla, all day.
Adjourned Inquest regarding the death of Mr. Grondona, 2 p. m.
Gaiety Theatre, "Delicate Ground," 9 p.m. ; "A Quiet Family," 10 p.m.
Wilson's Circus, "The Bear and the Sentinel," 9 p.m.

VESSEL ARRIVED.—The following vessel arrived on the 23rd instant :—Teberan (s), from London Arrived yesterday—H. M. S. Wild Swan, Trincomalee.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessel sailed yesterday :—Lady Frances (s), to Moulmein.

PASSENGERS BY THE ASSIRIA.—The following is the list of passengers per S. S. Assiria, Captain G. Rocco, sailing for Genoa to-day :—

For Genoa—Rev. and Mrs. Herzog, 3 children and one infant, Mrs. Ellwood and two children, Miss Wanton, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lennox, Mrs. T. H. Way and family, Mrs. Maddan and Miss Midhi, and Mrs. Bean and one child, Mrs. R. S. Boys and one child, Mrs. Clara Lloyd, Mrs. FitzGerald, two infants and an ayah Mr. and Mrs. C. Strahan, one child, one infant and a European nurse.

For Suez—Mrs. Murphy and one deck passenger.

A DISHONEST POLICEMAN.—Dhondoo Wittoo, a police constable, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Nana Morojee of stealing in the disposal of a gold coin belonging to the Bombay Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society, knowing the same to have been stolen. He was sentenced to four months' rigorous imprisonment.

COMMITTED TO THE SESSIONS.—Goverdhun Pittamber and Bahcher Jetta were yesterday committed by Mr. Nana Morojee to take their trial at the next Criminal Sessions of the High Court, on a charge of fraudulently and dishonestly using as genuine a forged document, purporting to be a promissory note of the Government of India for Rs. 100.

A CASE OF POISONING.—Khudabux Ilai, a private of H. M.'s Marine Battalion, was on Tuesday last handed over to the police authorities by the Adjutant of that regiment on a charge of causing hurt by administering poison to a little girl, named Soobamanee. It appears that on the evening of the 18th instant prisoner gave to the girl in question in a copper dish some curds, rice, and sugar, of which the girl partook, and shortly afterwards she commenced vomiting and continued constantly sick for about two hours. The doctor of the regiment was called in, and some of the vomitted matter was collected and sent to the Chemical Analyser, who discovered arsenic in it. The case is under investigation by the Commissioner of Police, who has ordered the prisoner to be kept in custody for further enquiry.

NATIVE GENERAL LIBRARY.—The thirty-fourth annual general meeting of the Bombay Native General Library was held in the Hall of the Framjee Cowasjee Institute on Tuesday last, Rao Saheb Vishvanath Narayen Mandlik, C.S.I., M.R.A.S., chairman of the managing committee, in the chair. The notice convening the meeting and the report of the committee having been read, it was resolved that the report be adopted, printed and circulated among the members of the library. A vote of thanks was accorded to the president, secretary, treasurer, and other members of the managing committee of the library for their services during the last year ; also to the auditors Messrs. Dadabhai Pestonjee Master and Pandurang Balibhadra, for auditing the accounts of the library for the past year. Messrs. Dadabhai Pestonjee Master and Pandurang Balibhadra were reappointed auditors for the current year. The following is the result of the scrutiny of votes for electing the managing committee for the next year :—Messrs. Ardaseer Framjee Moos, Kashinath Trimbak Telang, Nowrojee Furdoonjee, Rao Saheb Vishvanath N. Mandlik, C.S.I., Bal Mangesh Wagle, Javerilal Umiashankar Yajnik, Pestonjee Dajeebhoy, and Khursetjee Rustomjee Cama. The proceedings closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for his able conduct in the chair.

THE TROOPS.

THE 2nd Light Cavalry will march from Poona on the morning of the 28th in tant for Bombay, under arrangements to be made by the officer commanding that regiment.

BOMBAY REGATTA.

THE grand annual regatta of the Royal Bombay Yacht Club took place yesterday and was attended with signal success. There was a delightful north-westerly breeze which not only assisted in showing the sailing powers of the craft, but contributed in a great measure to the enjoyment of the spectators, of whom there were a large number both on land and sea. Many of the vessels in the harbour were gaily decorated with buntings in honour of the occasion, and the sea flashed in every direction with the sails of boats of almost every size and form, giving animation to the fine scenic picture always afforded by Bombay harbour. The arrangements were all admirably carried out by those in authority and gave satisfaction to all concerned. The regatta was witnessed by a number of spectators assembled, by the invitation of the committee on board the hulk Semiramis, where a capital view was obtained of the best part of the the sport. The band of the Volunteers were stationed on board and played a pleasing selection of music. Among those present we noticed :— H. E. the Acting Governor ; H. E. the Commander-in-Chief and Mrs. Warre ; H. E. Admiral and Mrs. Gore-Jones ; Colonel and Mrs. Ponsonby Cox ; Miss Carter ; General and Mrs. Aitchison ; the Hon'ble Mr. West ; the Hon'ble Mr. M. Melvill ; the Hon'ble Mr. F. J. D. Melvill ; the Hon'ble Mr. J. Marriott ; the Hon'ble Mr. M. Mowat ; Colonel and Miss Maude ; Hon'ble Mr. Ravenscroft ; Major and Mrs. Fagan ; General Hewett ; Colonel Sexton ; Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald ; Mr. and Mrs. Adams ; Mr. and Mrs. Thorburn, Dr. and Mrs. Klane ; Dr. and Mrs. Langley ; Dr. and Mr. Hayles ; Dr. and Mrs. and Miss Graham ; Major and Mrs. Stockley ; Miss Mackenzie ; Mr. and Mrs. Vouillon ; Mr. and Mrs. Stevens ; Mr. and Mrs. Noble ; Mr. and Mrs. Macfarlane Mr. and Mrs. Marshall ; Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Sedgwick ; Mr. and Mrs. Hogg ; Mr. and Mrs. Bodger ; Miss Horne ; Mr. and Mrs. Hay ; Mr. and Mrs. M. Wood ; Mr. and Mrs. Bayles ; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sedgwick ; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bell ; Captian Carew ; Mr. Basil Lang ; Mr. and Mrs. Jardine ; Dr. and Mrs. Pennington ; Captain and Mrs Marriott ; Captain Woodroffe, R. A. ; Captain and Mrs. Vienne ; Mr., Mrs. and the Misses Maidment ; Mr., Mrs. and the Misses Jones ; Major and Mrs. Portman ; Mr. and the Misses Gill ; Mr. and Mrs Forbes ; Captain and Mrs. Mellis ; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey ; Miss Hanbin ; Mrs. Thundere ; Mr. and Miss Whitcombe ; Major and Mrs. FitzGerald ; Captain and Mrs. LeBreton ; Colonel Corrie ; and Colonel and Mrs Thatcher.

The following is the result of the various matches :—

SAILING MATCHES.

Course—From Station vessel of Yacht Club Flag-ship to round a Boat moored near Gull Island and passing and keeping her on the starboard hand thence round the Inner Light Ship, leaving it on starboard hand and back passing between Flag Boat and Light Ship to the winning post a Rendezvous Flag on Apollo Bunder heading up the harbour.

FIRST RACE.—For bona fide ships boats of any rig or size. No time allowances for tonnage. Entrance Rs. 10. First prize Rs. 50 and the entrance money ; second prize, Rs. 30 ; third prize Rs. 15.

Boats' Names.	Big.	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag.
Olympia	Lateen	W Thynne	White, swallow
Geelong	Fr Luggr.	Capt S Stewart	P and O Co
Hebe	Cutter	Capt Whitburn	Square red flag tail Flag with a red anchor
Water Lilly	Cutter	H Creagh	Blue and White pennant
Waterwitch	do	Capt Fenn	Blue and yellow pennant with a Tomahawk head

This was a very well contested race. The Olympia was admirably handled and did the distance in 4 hours 46 minutes ; Geelong came next, her time being 5 hours 9 minutes, and was followed by the Hebe. The other boats came in anyhow.

SECOND RACE.—Boats similar in description, but which in the opinion of the Handicap Committee should not be considered as *bona fide* ships' boats. Handicapped on coming in. Entrance Rs. 5. Prize, Rs. 30 and the entrance money.

Boat's Name.	Rig.	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag.
Bappoo	do	J Jehangeer	Red and white, J in the centre
Æsculapius	do	Dr Barbour	Blue Pennant with name
Water Queen	Lateen	H Cleveland	Red
Snail	do	E V Jordan	Blue white and red perpendicular
Futty Khair	do	Abdoolla	Red Square
Futtal Khan	do	Yeesoob	Blue flag

No handicap.

This was a fairly close contest, and the time taken by the winning boat was comparatively short. The Bappoo made the run in 4 hours 42 minutes and Æsculapius and Water Queen were nearly tied, the former covering the course in 4 hours 51 minutes and the latter in 4 hours 5 minutes 30 seconds.. Snail was quite out of the race.

THIRD RACE.—Sailing match for Club Yachts of Cutter, Schooner or other rigs, except Lateen. Handicapped according to, in. Entrance Rs. 10. Prize, a Silver Cup, presented by H. E. Rear-Admiral Gore Jones, Vice-Patron.

Kathleen	Cutter	Captain G O B	Blue Ensign
Elfin	Lugger	C H Burn	Black with Red Diagonal Stripe

Boats' Name.	Rig	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag.
Wandle	Schooner	E V Jordan	White and Red Cross

Kathleen	Allows	Elfin 4½ minutes.	
Wandle	do	Elfin 5 do.	

In this race the Kathleen was an easy winner, doing the distance in 4 hours 52 minutes. The Elfin and the Wapdle tied, their time being thus—Wandle 5 hours 22 minutes, Elfin 5 hours 25 minutes, Wandle 6 had to allow Elfin 3 minutes.

FOURTH RACE.—Sailing Match for Club Yachts of Lateen Rig not exceeding 35 tons. Handicapped on coming in. Entrance Rs. 15. Prize, a Silver Cup.

Boats' Name.	Rig	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag.
Pauline	do	S W Anderson	Blue Flag with White Star
Sylph	do	E B Carroll	Club Burgie
Rustom	Lateen	Dr Doolittle	Red Pennant with T Cody
Faerie	do	Commodore Mor-rant	White broad pennant bordered red pierced name

Faerie	Allows	Rustom 7½ mints.	
do	do	Pauline 10¾ do	
do	do	Sylph 12 do	
Rustom	do	Pauline 3 do	
do	do	Sylph 7½ do	
Pauline	do	Sylph 4 do	

The timing in this race was as follows :—Pauline (1) 4 hours 51 min. ; Sylph (2) 5 hours 2 min. 30 secs. ; Rustom (3) 4 hours 59 mins. ; Faerie (4) 5 hours 30 mins. The boats got away in a workmanlike manner, and as they glided along presented a very pretty sight

FIFTH RACE—Selling match for large Lateen Club Yachts Handicapped entrance Rs 15 Prize a Silver Cup

Boats' Names	Rig	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag
Ianthe	do	J H Grant	Blue White ball
Water Queen	do	C W L Jackson	Y C Pennant
Sea Queen	Lateen	H Morland	Pennant, R B Y C
Water Queen	Allows	Sea Queen	16 minutes
Do	do	Ianthe	26 minutes
Sea Queen	do	Ianthe	9 minutes

The Ianthe, the winner, did her work in 4 hours 55 mins. 30 secs. ; Water Queen (2) covered the distance in 4 hours and 39 mins. ; and Sea Queen (3) in 5 hours 6 mins.

SIXTH RACE.—Dhonah Boats. Entrance Rs. 5. Prize, Rs. 50 and entrance money.

Boats' Name	Rig	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag
Jehangeer	Do	Jamsetjee Jehan-gheer	Red and white J in the centre
W Broadfoot	Lateen	Framjee Nusser-wanjee	White flag with X in the centre
Mermaid	Do	Merwanjee Nus-serwanjee	Red flag with letter in the centre
Francis A Lanet	Do	Cowasjee Jamset-jee	Flag red letter C J
Reliq Sun	1 Do	Nanabhoy Sorab	Italian flag

The Jehangeer was first doing the distance in 5 hours 11 mins. 30 secs., the Broadfoot, second, 5 hours 15 mins.

SEVENTH RACE—Hired Sailing Boats. Entrance free ; first prize, Rs. 30 ; second prize, Rs. 20.

Boats' Name.	Big.	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag.
Sugal Puss	Lateen	Ebrahim	Blue and red perpendicular
Futty Sullam	do	Hoosein	Red and white perpendicular
Futty Khair	do	Abdoolla	Red Square
Futtal Khan	do	Yeesoob	Blue flag

No handicap.

The timing in this race was as follows :—Sugal Puss (1) 5 hours 39 mins. 30 secs. ; Futty Sullam (2) 6 hours 1 min. ; Futty Khair (3) not timed.

EIGHTH RACE—Rowing Match for four or five oared gigs. Entrance Rs. 5. First Prize Rs. 30 and entrance money. Second Prize Rs. 25.

Boats' Names.	Rig.	Entered by	Distinguishing Flag.
Sea Queen	4 oars	H Morland	Red and White horizontal
May Frere	5 oars	Capt Fenn	Red pennant
Speedy	6 oars	G Ormiston	Blue Swallow tail White Ball

Sea Queen (1) May Frere (2) Speedy (3).

Course.—From a Boat moored off Dolphin Light to a Boat moored off Dockyard Breakwater rounding and leaving it on the Port hand and back, pass ng between the Yacht Club Flag-ship and the winning post on the Apollo Bunder.

ROYAL ALFRED SAILORS' HOME.

THE Annual Meeting of the Royal Alfred Sailors' Home was held on Tuesday evening under the presidency of H. E. Rear-Admiral Gore Jones. Amongst others present were the Hon. L. R. Ashburner, the acting Governor, H. E. General Warre, the Commander-in-Chief, Brigadier General Hogg, Colonel Cottinger, General Hewett, Colonel Baker, R. E., Colonel Thacker, Hon. Justice West, Hon. Justice Max Melvill, Hon. Magnus Mowat, Captain C. Woodruffe, Commanding H. M.'s S. Beacon, Mr. Barnaby, Captain Barrow, A. D. C., Mr. Bodger, Mr. Farnham, U. S. Consul, Mr. John Fleming, C. S. I., Rev. Mr. Winter, Rev. Mr. Evans, Rev. Father Cooke, Mr. J. Grabam, Sir J. Jeejeebhoy, Bart., Hon. S. Shapoorjee Bengali, Mr. Sturrock, Mr. Bythell, Mr. Tait, Mr. Macdonald, Mr. F. D. Parker, Mr. Martin Wood, the Officers H. M.'s Ship Beacon, Lieut. Leslie, R. N., Lieut. Kay, Mr. Swanegger, Captain Hilson, Captain Dixon, Captain Clark, Mr. Baylis, Mr. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, and others, amongst whom were some naval and military officers, and commanders and officers of vessels in harbour. Captain Brebner, the honorary secretary, read the annual report.

The Hon. Mr. Magniac had very much pleasure in proposing "that the report of the directors now read together with a statement of the accounts be received and adopted and that they be printed and circulated in the usual manner." He was sure those present must all have listened to the report with much interest. It showed that good work had been done throughout the past year, and that the thanks of the entire community were due to the board of directors and the honorary secretary for services rendered to a most useful class of men, who never failed to enlist British sympathies and who heartily appreciated any kindness shown to them.

Mr. Gill next proposed a resolution affirming that the meeting regretted the apparent failure of the advantages which the institution had afforded to the seamen of Bombay for many years past and expressing approval of the measures adopted by the directors, to promote their interests and well-being.

Mr. Ballantine Read seconded the motion and remarked that he trusted that sailors' homes and kindre institutions would always be a distinguishing characteristic of British society wherever it is established and that there

and that the sailors who visited Bombay especially would always in gratitude for the ample provision which was made for their comfort feel an interest in the institution, preserving its interests as far as it lies in them, and in every way proves themselves worthy of the honourable name they bore and the great interests committed their charge. (Applause.)

Mr. J. K. Bythell next moved a vote of thanks to those friends who for another year had contributed to the support of the institution. Mr. Bythell remarked that he believed very little effort would be needed to raise subscriptions, for the directors had only to bring prominently before the public, from time to time, the requirements of Sailors' Home in order to ensure a measure of support sufficient to keep the Home in a state of thorough efficiency. Money would be given much less grudgingly to the Sailors' Home than almost to any other object especially out in India, where a more sense of gratitud would compel the most niggardly among them so help to support the Sailors' Home. They had seen for themselves that the life of a sailor appeared to effeminate landsmen, to be a life of great hardship. They also knew that a sailor, as a rule, was not overburd-ned with this world's goods when he was stranded in a foreign port he would be driven to take up his position in the worst part of the town.

Captain Crockett, in seconding the motion, congratulated the directors on having secured Rear Admiral Gore Jones to preside at their annual meeting for the first time, remarking that His Excellency showed by doing so that his sympathies and best wishes were with the mercantile marin , and that he believed that everything done to promote their interests was so much gained for old England and her dependencies. (Applause.)

Mr. C. Macdonald moved the re-election of the officers of the Home, and a vote of thanks to them for their services during the past year. He was glad to see that good men took their places on the committee of management, especially those gentlemen who in various capacities were much connected with the shipping interest. (Applause.)

The motion having been seconded, was carried.

Mr. F. Mathew moved—"That the thanks of this meeting be voted to the directors for the management of the affairs of the Institution during the past year." He called special attention to the statement in the report that the last of the Boarding Houses for European Sailors in the Native Town had disappeared, a fact which testified that the Institution had, by judicious management, been rendered popular, and that sailors of all nations who come to Bombay—many of whom may be for the time friendless and houseless—all find here friendly protection and a comfortable home. All they could do in this port—the great port of the East Indies—for the well-being and comfort of sailors might well be regarded as the payment of a debt, for to sailors they owed not only the commerce and intercourse which add so much to the enjoyments of life, but their own lives, and lives dearer than their own, which were often in sailors' care. And better still our sailors had long upheld the supremacy of the free flag of our country throughout the Oceans of the world. When referring to the gallant services of the Navy, he could not forget the kindness of the committee to be allotted as follows :—Two-thir

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Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

Messrs CRAWFORD & Co are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the 30th March, at his residence, Mount Tower, Mount Road, Mazagon, the valuable household furniture, plate and plateware, glass and porcelainware, &c., &c., of Clement Poole, Esq., leaving the neighbourhood. The same comprises handsomely carved and French polished blackwood drawing-room, dining-room, and bed-room furniture, including cretonne lined sofas and ottomans, drawing-room, pier, side, marble top, work, writing, and occasional tables, easy and drawing-room chairs of various patterns, chiffoniers, revolving teapoys and bookstands, rich Brussel carpets, hanging argand duplex kerosine lamps and wall shades, pictures, handsome table ornaments and vases, and a sweet toned square pianoforte by Broadwood and Sons, eight and eighteen day French ormolu time pieces, together with a choice collection of ferns, crotons, named roses, &c. &c.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view some days before the sale, of which due notice will be given.

On WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, sale commencing at 1 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at his residence at Middle Colaba, near the Post Office Chokey, the valuable and handsome carved and French polished household furniture, best plateware, rich crockery and glassware, a small collection of choice plants, &c., the property of Captain T. Teed, Bombay Staff Corps.

Full particulars will be given hereafter.

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